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June 8, 1924.

Miss Ida M. Tarbell,
120 E. 19th Street,
New York City.

Dear Miss Tarbell,

On behalf of the Board of Trustees of the Woodrow Wilson Foundation and of President-Emeritus Charles W. Eliot, chairman of the Jury of Award of the Woodrow Wilson Foundation, I have the honor to invite you to serve on the Jury of Award of the Woodrow Wilson Foundation.

This Jury, consisting of nine members, is the group designated by the Board of Trustees to select the recipient of the Woodrow Wilson Award.

The purpose of the Foundation is to make an award "from time to time by a nationally constituted Jury to the living individual who has rendered within a specified period unselfish public service of enduring value. The Award shall be made for specific work recently done."

We are planning to have the Jury of Award meet in the autumn for a week end in some pleasant spot near Boston (the exact date to be decided on later.) The enclosed Statutes will give you an idea of the Jury's duties. We believe these could be discharged at a two-or-three-day conference of not more than five or six sessions allowing plenty of time for golf or other recreation. The expenses incident to the meeting of the Jury will, of course, be met by the Foundation.

The Trustees beg you most earnestly to accept this appointment. They have given much thought to the list of those invited to serve and feel they have chosen men and women who have the confidence of the public, a very essential qualification.

Hopefully yours,

Kathleen Ely Tiffany
Secretary.